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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: Hoeg-Jensen et al.      Confirmation No.: 1019  
Application No.: 09/870,884      Group Art Unit: 1654  
Filed: May 31, 2001      Examiner: Russel, Jeffrey E.  
For: Glucose Dependent Release of Insulin from Glucose Sensing Insulin Derivatives

**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. 1.136(a))**

Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the final Office Action on the merits mailed May 23, 2005, having a shortened period for reply of three (3) months, due to expire August 23, 2005, be extended for a period of two (2) months from August 23, 2005, to October 23, 2005, to permit timely filing of the Amendment/Response enclosed herewith.

In the event that an additional extension of time is required, Applicants hereby petition for such extension of time. The Commissioner of Patents is authorized to charge the required fee, if applicable, to Deposit Account No. 14-1447.

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Respectfully submitted,

Date: October 21, 2005

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Rosemarie R. Wilk-Orescan", written over a horizontal line.

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